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we now submit to the candid judgment of all men the following declaration of principles and measures:

I. That.Governments, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, are instituted among men to secure to all, those inalienable rights of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, with which they were endowed by their Creator, and of which none can be deprived by valid legis-

the people, the sovereignty of the States, and the perpetuity of the Union, by the impartial application to public affairs, with-

therein ought to be strictly construed by all the departments and agents of the Governments. ernment, and it is inexpedient and dangerous to exercise doubtful constitutional

States, ordained to form a more perfect union, to establish justice, and secure the blessings of liberty, expressly denies to the General Government all power to deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; and power to make a slave than to make a very than to establish monarchy, should at once proceed to relieve itself from all responsibility for the existence of slavery wherever it possesses constitutional power to legislate for its extinction.

V. That, to the persevering and importunate demands of the Slave Power for more slave States, new slave Territories, and the nationalization of Slavery, our dis tinct and final answer is-no more slave States, no slave Territory, no nationalized Slavery, and no national legislation for the extradition of slaves.

VI. That Slavery is a sin against God and a crime against man, which no human enactment nor usage can make right; and that Christianity, humanity, and patriotism,

repugnant to the Constitution, to the orinciples of the common law, to the spirit of Christianity, and to the sentinents of the civilized world. We therefore deny its binding force upon the American People, and demand its immediate and total repeal.

VIII. That the doctrine that any human aw is a finality, and not subject to modification or repeal, is not in accordance with the creed of the founders of our Government, and is dangerous to the liberties

as the Compromise Measures of 1850, by making the admission of a sovereign State contingent upon the adoption of other measures demanded by the special interest of Slavery; by their omission to guaranty freedom in free Territories; by their ations on the power of Congress and the people to admit new States; by their provisions for the assumption of five millions of the State debt of Texas, and for the payment of five millions more, and the ssion of a large territory to the same State under menace, as an inducement to the relinquishment of a groundless claim, and by their invasion of the sovereignty of the States and the liberties of the people, through the enactment of an unjust, oppressive, and unconstitutional Fugitive Slave Law, are proved to be inconsistent with all the principles and maxims of De-mocracy, and wholly inadequate to the

settlement of the questions of which they

the Slavery question can be looked for, except in the practical recognition of the truth that Slavery is sectional, and Freedom national; by the total separation of the General Government from Slavery, and the exercise of its legitimate and constitutional influence on the side of Freedom; and by leaving to the States the whole

subject of Slavery and the extradition of fugitives from service. XI. That all men have a natural right to portion of the soil; and that, as the use of the soil is indispensable to life, the right of all men to the soil is as sacred as

heir right to life itself. XII. That the public lands of the United States belong to the people, and should not be sold to individuals nor granted to corporations, but should be held as a sacred trust for the benefit of the people, and should be granted in limited quantities, free of cost, to landless settlers.

XIII. That a due regard for the Federal Constitution, and sound administrative policy, demand that the funds of the General Government be kept separate from banking institutions; that inland and ocean postage should be reduced to the lowest possible point; that no more revenue should be raised than is required to defray the strictly necessary expenses of the public service, and to pay off the pub-lic debt; and that the power and patronage of the Government should be dimin-ished by the abolition of all unnecessary offices, salaries, and privileges, and by the election by the people of all civil officers in the service of the United States, so far as may be consistent with the prompt and efficient transaction of the public business.

XIV. That river and harbor improve-ments, when necessary to the safety and convenience of commerce with foreign nations or among the several States, are objects of national concern, and it is the duty of Congress, in the exercise of its constitutional powers, to provide for the

XV. That emigrants and exiles from the Old World should find a cordial welcome to homes of comfort and fields of enterprise in the New; and every attempt to abridge their privilege of becoming citizens and owners of the soil among us ought to be resisted with inflexible deter-

mination.

XVI. That every nation has a clear ight to alter or change its own Government, and to administer its own concerns in such manner as may best secure the rights and promote the happiness of the people, and foreign interference with that right is a dangerous violation of the law of nations, against which all independ-The only journal at the seat of the Federal Government, representing the Anti-Slavery Sentiment of the Republic, while the Pro-Slavery Sentiment of the Republic, while the Pro-Slavery Sentiment is represented here by four daily papers, nearly all of them being liberally sustained by Governmental patronage, it asks the support of all who believe, in sincerity, that the Union was formed to secure the blessings of Liberty, and not to perpetuate the curse of Slavery.

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III. That the Federal Government is one of limited powers, derived solely from the intervention of Kings and Emperors against nations seeking to establish for the constitution; and the perpetuity of the Union, by the impartial application to public affairs, without application to public aff ent Governments should protest, and en-

> XVII. That the independence of Hayt ought to be recognised by our Government, and our commercial relations with it placed on the footing of the most favored nations.

XVIII. That as, by the Constitution the citizens of each State shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of citizens of the several States," the practice of imprisoning colored seamen of other States, while the vessels to which they belong lie in port, and refusing to exercise the right to bring such cases be fore the Supreme Court of the United States, to test the legality of such proceedings, is a flagrant violation of the Constitution, and an invasion of the rights of the citizens of otther States, utterly inconsistent with the professions made by the slaveholders, that they wish the pro visions of the Constitution faithfully observed by every State in the Union.

XIX. That we recommend the introduction into all treaties, hereafter to be negotiated between the United States and oreign nations, of some provision for the amicable settlement of difficulties by a resort to decisive arbitration.

XX. That the Free Democratic party i not organized to aid either the Whig or Democratic wing of the great Slave Compromise party of the nation, but to defeat them both; and that repudiating and renouncing both, as hopelessly corrupt, and utterly unworthy of confidence, the purpose of the Free Democracy is to take possession of the Federal Government, and administer it for the better protection of the rights and interests of the whole

FREE SOIL, FREE SPEECH, FREE LABOR, and FREE Mes, and under it will fight on and fight ever, until a triumphant victory

shall reward our exertions.

XXII. That upon this Platform the Convention presents to the American People as a candidate for the office of Presiden of the United States, JOHN P. HALE, of New Hampshire, and as a candidate for the office of Vice President of the United States, GEORGE W. JULIAN, of Indiana, attempt to impose unconstitutional limit- and earnestly commends them to the support of all freemen and parties.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House consists of two hundred and thirty-four Members and five Territorial Delegates, one new Territory having lately been formed, viz: Washington. The Delegates, however, have no vote.

ALABAMA.

Old Line Democrats.—Philip Philips, S. W.
Harris, Wm. R. Smith, George S. Houghton,
W. R. W. Cobb, James F. Dowdell.

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Whigs.—David A. Reese, Alex. H. Stephens.

Old Line Democrat.—Bernhardt Henn. Whig.—John P. Cook.

INDIANA.

Old Line Democrats.—S. Miller, W. H. English, C. L. Dunham, James A. Lane, Thos. A. Henricks, John G. Davis, Daniel Mace, Norman Eddy, E. M. Chamberlain, Andrew J.

Whig .- Samuel W. Parker.

Old Line Democrats.—John Wentworth, W. A. Richardson, James Allen, William H. Bissell, Willis Allen.

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LOUISIANA. Old Line Democrats .- Wm. Dunbar, Joh Perkins, jr.

Whigs.—Theodore G. Hunt, John B. Smith

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J. Wiley Edmunds, Samuel H. Walley, William Appleton, Charles W. Upham, Tappan
Wentworth, Edward Dickinson, John Z. Good-

Old Line Democrats.—David Stuart, David L. Noble, Samuel Clark, Hestor L. Stephens.

MAINE.

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uel Mayall, T. J. D. Foller.

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Vansant, Henry May, Wm. T. Hamilton.

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Whigs.—Russel Sage, George A. Simmons, George W. Chase, O. B. Matteson, Henry Ben-nett, Edwin B. Morgan, David Carpenter, Thomas F. Flagler, Solomon G. Haven, Benjarain Pringle.

Independent Democrats.—Gerrit Smith, Caleb Lyon.

NEW JERSEY. Old Line Democrats - Nathan T. Strattor. Charles Skelton, Samuel Lilly, George Vrail. Whig .- A. C. M. Pennington.

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Whigs.—Sion H. Rogers, John Kerr, Rich-

ard C. Puryear.

NEW MEXICO.

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OREGON.

Old Line Democrat.—Joseph Lane.

PENNSYLVANIA.

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Whigs.—Joseph R. Chandler, William Everhart, Issac E. Heister, Ner Middleswarth, Samuel L. Russel, John McColloch, David Ritchie, Thomas M. Howe, John Dick.

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